

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVANTS - Revenue Department - Departmental proceedings against Sri A.Dharma Rao, Tahsildar(Retired) - Appointment of District Revenue Officer, Visakhapatnam District as Inquiring Authority and the Revenue Divisional Officer, Visakhapatnam District as Presenting Officer - Orders - Issued.
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REVENUE (VIGILANCE.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1485

Dated:15.10.2012.
Read the following :-

1. From the D.G., ACB.,No.65/RCA/WVP/2008-S11, dt.30.03.2010.
2. G.O.Rt.No.1487 Revenue (Vig.II) Department Date:20.10.2010.
- 3.Written Statement of Defence of Sri A.Dharma Rao Tahsildar (Retired), dt.19.09.2011.

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ORDER:-

In the reference 1st read above, the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad informed that on credible information, a case in Crime No.89/RC-VSP/08 under section 13 (2) r/w 13 (1) (e) of the P.C. Act, 1988 was registered on 26.03.2008 against Sri Annapaneni Dharma Rao, Tahsildar, paravada Mandal and investigated into. After investigation, the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau has filed charge sheet against Sri A.Dharma Rao, Tahsildar as he retired from service. The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau has requested to initiate departmental action against Sri A.Dharma Rao, for the following reasons:

- 1) not obtaining prior permission for acquisition of any of the assets.
- 2) for not submitting annual property returns from the date of joining upto 27.3.2008.
- 3) for not furnishing I to VI property statements which were supplied by the ACB through the District Collector with directions to resubmit the filled up statements.
- 4) for purchasing land belonging to Bhoodan yagna Board.

2. Accordingly, in the reference 2nd read above, Government have framed charges against Sri A Dharmarao, formerly Tahsildar, Parawada Mandal, Visakhapatnam District (Retired) under Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980. The Charged Officers has submitted his Written Statement of Defence requesting to drop further action in the matter through the reference 3rd read above.

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3. Government, after careful examination of the entire matter and W.S.D. of the C.O., have decided to conduct regular enquiry into the matter under rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991. Accordingly, in exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Rule (2) of Rule 20 of the said Rules, Government hereby appoint the District Revenue Officer, Visakhapatnam District as the Inquiring Authority to conduct inquiry into the charges framed against Sri A Dharmarao, formerly Tahsildar, Parawada Mandal, Visakhapatnam District (Retired).

4. Further, the Government in terms of clause (c) of Sub-Rule 5 of Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991, hereby appoint the Revenue Divisional Officer, Visakhapatnam as the Presenting Officer to present the case before the Inquiring Authority on behalf of the Government.

5. The Presenting Officer shall acquaint himself with the facts of the case and present the case before the Inquiring Authority effectively. He is also requested to obtain and produce relevant documents if any, required by the Inquiring Authority during the course of enquiry from the concerned, without referring the matter to Government.

6. The Inquiring Authority is requested to conduct enquiry strictly in terms of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991 and submit his enquiry report in duplicate to Government within three months. Copy of charge memos issued to the Charged Officers and their Written Statement of Defence along with the connected material, are herewith furnished to Inquiring Authority as required under Rule 20 (6) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ASUTOSH MISHRA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The District Revenue Officer,
Visakhapatnam District **through** the Collector,
Visakhapatnam District.(w.e.)
The Revenue Divisional Officer, Visakhapatnam District
through the Collector, Visakhapatnam District.(w.e.)
The individual **through** the Collector,
Visakhapatnam District.
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration,
A.P., Hyderabad.
The District Collector, Visakhapatnam District.
S.c./S.f.

// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER